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PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No.: 2001P13112US

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor(s): SVATOS, et al.

Serial No.: 09/909,513

Filing Date: July 20, 2001

Title: REMOVABL ELECTRON MULTILEAF COLLIMATOR

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Sir:

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.114, for the above identified application.

**TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE**

2. This request is being submitted:

- I. ☒ Prior to abandonment of the application
- ii. ☐ Payment of the issue fee
  - ☐ Prior to payment of issue fee
  - ☐ Issue fee has been paid but a petition under §1.313 has been submitted herewith and this RCE should be deemed to be filed.
- iii. ☐ Prior to a decision on appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals &

### Interferences

☐ A notice is being separately sent to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences that this Request for Continued Examination is being filed

- iv. ☐ Appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals of the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. 114 OR  
☐ Commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. 146  
☐ Prior to the filing of such appeal or commencement of civil action  
☐ Such appeal or commencement of civil action has been terminated

### SUBMISSIONS AND ENCLOSURES

3. a. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114  
☐ Previously submitted:  
i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
iii. ☐ Other:  
b. Enclosed herewith is/are:  
☒ **A Petition for Extension of Time for 2 months.**  
☐ An Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. §1.98) with PTO-1449 and 7 references.  
☐ An amendment  
☐ New arguments  
☐ New evidence in support of patentability  
☒ **Other: Supplemental Response to Office Action mailed April 3, 2003**

### FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. §1.17(e))

4. ☐ Filing fee has been calculated as shown below (other than small entity):

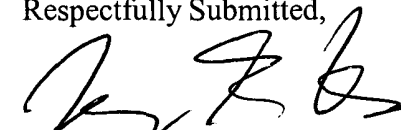
For	Claims Remaining	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	x Rate	Additional Fees
Total Claims	23	- 23	= 0	x \$ 18	\$-0-
Indep. Claim	7	- 7	= 0	x \$ 84	\$-0-
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Basic filing Fee					\$ 750.00
Total					\$750.00

5. ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179 in the amount of \$750.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2179 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.25. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
6. ☒ This application, as amended, names as inventors:  
☒ the same inventors as previously designated for the claims.  
☐ fewer than the inventors previously designated and a statement accompanies this request for the deletion of the name or names of the person or persons who are not inventors of the invention now being claimed.  
☐ a person not named previously as an inventor and a petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.48 is/has separately: ☐ being filed ☐ been filed
7. ☐ A request for deferral of examination accompanies this Request for Continued Examination

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